The Booklet Against Zionism

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In the course of writing this zine, 10,000+ Palestinians people were killed in Israel's genocide on Gaza.
Statistically, half of them are <18.

This zine is large and unwieldy to self-assemble, yet you have my full consent to make, re-make and distribute as long as it furthers the Antizionist struggle.
I hope that in some small way, it changes your perspective and keeps you safe in furutre actions <3

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INTRODUCTION TO ANTI ZIONISM

What this zine IS, ISN'T, what it stands for!

This zine is an attempt to synthesize many ideas into a manifesto to inform, inspire and agitate towards Anti-Zionist thought and action. It is written by an American Jew, an Anti-Fascist and an Anarchist. **To fight boldly and effectively against injustice, we must wear our radical beliefs as signs upon our arms and between our eyes**.

I firmly stand against Anti-Semitism, and against racism of all kinds. **I refuse** to condemn the violence of October 7th, for the 20,000 dead killed in retaliation puts that violence to shame. The brutal, genocidal apartheid state and the violence to maintain it created the conditions for Hamas to commit those atrocities, and every day since those dark deeds the state of Israel has shown that it will answer blood a thousand times over.
The assymetry of the conflict is untenable, and we must reckon that the only state in the world that boldly declares itself the guardians of the Jewish faith are orchestrating a campaign of genocide in Gaza.

Jews in America are not endangered by Muslims, and I would venture that vice versa is also true. Our common enemy are white supremacists. A white supremacist was the person to go into MY synagogue and massacre 11 people; he was radicalized by such fervent Antisemitic rhetoric that he thought Trump hadn't gone far enough. White supremacists - and their huge base of Zionist WASP supporters - are the foes of peace and liberation.

WHITE SUPREMACY IS THE GREATEST THREAT

TO JEWS AND MUSLIMS EVERYWHERE

NOT PALESTINIAN RESISTANCE

I attempt to tease out the colonizing, white supremacist attitude that has forcibly married itself to the Jewish religion, causing Jewry worldwide to view its own body as something alien and worth changing. Jewish Anti-Zionist voice like Rabbi Yaakov Shapiro would argue it's not just a forced fusion but full on identity theft, one that I agree has a colonizing lens. In this zine I go on to try and systematize the idea that before Zionism ever came to colonize Palestine, first it had to colonize the minds of Jews in desperate need of escape from Antisemitism.

Due to a very real history of oppression and prejudice against Jews, I will focus intensely on how Jews have and can interact with the nation-state of Israel, and its ideological religion of Zionism. I try and center Palestinian voices where I can - because their lives are on the lines as the direction victims of the occupation - but I will not be laying out arguments that Israel is an apartheid regime, that it supports fascist paramilitary groups (Settlers) engaging in settler colonial terrorism, nor-

that its "Defense Force" are really an occupying army. I won't argue them because they're objective truths. To argue against them is to live in an alternate reality.

Israel is propped up by The US government as an "unsinkable naval carrier" or forward operating base in the region. It's an apartheid government just as South Africa had been, a segregated society that now favors a Jewish majority. This "Jewish majority" it is so obssessed with is informed by European colonial (i.e. racialized) ideals, favoring white or white passing jews and either ignoring or forcibly sterilizing black (Beta Israel) Jews. **The only arguing** we will be doing on these facts will be "arguing for the sake of heaven", in which we try and repair the world through consensus and spirited debate. We cannot stick our heads in the sand and ignore active genocide waged in our name.

Researching Israeli apartheid and the history of Zionism - the real events of the World Congress and the Nakba, not the mythology fed to us by Zionists of generations past - has led me to a horrible revelation: **Zionism has co-opted and weaponize the Jewish identity for its own purposes**. **Jews in the Diaspora must oppose the Zionist project, Anti-Fascists everywhere must oppose it and its 75 year occupation of Palestine**. It does not take a genius or a hero but merely a decent human being to stand for what is right.

This revelation fuels me with anger: the anger that I felt when I watched IDF soldiers beat the pallbearers at the funeral of - **Shireen Abu Akleh**, or the press conference at **Al-Ahli Baptist Hospital** held in a field of corpses.

To see the atrocities in Gaza is to be angry for the rest of your life.

Anger is a great motivating factor, but in all actions it's imperative to be guided and compelled by love. **To be truly revolutionary is to be guided by a sense of love**, to use **Kabbalistic** terminology **Gevurah** must always be balanced with **Chesed**.

It lead me to create things like the zine you're holding: to fight for an end to the occupation of The Palestinian people, to fight for a world where **the Jewish diaspora frees itself from its hostage situation with the state of Israel**, and my love for oppressed peoples everywhere.

That's also why support and solidarity between Jewish and Leftists and Palestinians is more important than ever. We hold far more in common than we do with the white supremacists who wield the levers of power here in America and overseas in Israel. **The average Jew and Palestinian hold far more in common than I will ever have with a member of the IDF**.

FROM THE RIVER TO THE SEA

من النهر إلى البحر

מהנהר לים

ZIONISM IS A COLONIAL PROJECT

An excerpt from "Why Zionism is Antisemitism":

"Jews have lived on every continent, for hundreds of years, but zionism arose in 19th-century Europe. This is because zionism is not, in terms of its ideological content, a particularly Jewish project, but a **European** one. This was a period when national groups within the great multi-ethnic empires – Russia, Austria-Hungary, the Ottoman caliphate – were increasingly agitating for self-determination along strict ethnic lines, while at the same time other European states were brutally capturing and colonising areas of land elsewhere on the globe. Early zionism, with its demand for a Jewish national homeland outside of Europe, wasn't much more than **a combination of these two tendencies.** Zionism was simultaneously a hypostatisation of Jewish difference, and assimilation by other means. The Jews would finally become just like any other respectable European people: we would colonise like them, ethnically cleanse like them, and set up a perfect imitation of the despotic European ethnic state in the Middle East. This is how we got to where we are today, with Jews messing around with tank battalions, repressive state infrastructures, the systematic dispossession of a colonized population, and other such fundamentally goyische inventions."
-Sam Kriss

Zionism is a European political ideology based on the premise that The Jews have a unique right to build a nation state, referred to sometimes as Jewish Nationalism, Israel being "The Jewish State".

What's a Jew? While definitions change over time, for the vast majority of human history Judaism has been defined as an ethno-religion. A set of 613 commandments for one people connected by religion as they lived fruitfully and multiplied.

Modern definitions treat Jews as a nationality because this was the initial mythology laid by Zionism: first beginning with transforming a group solely based by their religion into a nationality; **not for their own benefit, but to meet the standards of the European ethnostate**. The "unique right" of this developing nationality then-going on to ignore the myriad claims of The Abrahamic faiths to Jerusalem, as well as the long history of Jews persisting and returning to Palestine.

Zionism's PR push took great advantage of the horrors of The Holocaust, **transitioning its initial claims of conquest into a safe refuge for Jews**, and that only a well-armed state could protect world Jewry in the future.

Before then, it was unashamed of proclaiming its very nature:
Israel is a settler colonial state, a society based on displacing an existing population and replacing it with a new group. Only in the post WWII and Decolonial era has colonialism shed its image as a grand adventure, for the reality of resource extraction and human suffering.

One need only read their own words.

Ze'ev Jabotinsky, an early Zionist:

The Iron Wall: Zionist Revisionism from Jabotinsky to Shamir.

...Zionism is a colonizing adventure and therefore it stands or falls by the question of armed force. It's important to speak Hebrew, but unfortunately, it is even more important to be able to shoot - or else I am though with playing at colonization." (Brenner).

This is the same kind of state-formation that followed the creation of places like The United States and Australia. Following the daily practice and devotion of Jewish spiritual life pales in comparison to armed force against The Palestinians, for the founders of political Zionism.

Israel Zangwill popularized:

"A land without a people for a people without a Land."

This phrase was coined earlier by Christian Zionists in England, but undoubtably was popularized by Zangwill in his 1901 publication "The Return to Palestine".

The ideologies required to believe in "a land without a people, for a people without a land" are **European** in origin.

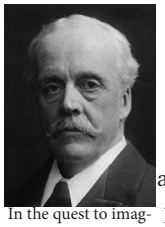
It readily harkens back to the European **colonizers of The Americas**, imagining their new gains as an Eden worth mastering. In **Israel's gradual expulsion of Palestinians into diaspora**, the European precedent was long set by the **Spanish Crown** in 1492: history does not repeat, but it rhymes.

Ottoman Palestine was already a multicultural and multiethnic society, one where there was not a Jewish majority but Jews could (and did!) live in peaceful co-existence. It was no paradise, but comparably way more tolerable than the European alternative.

If it were not so, would **Safed** in Palestine and **Salonica** (now **Thessaloniki**) have held some of the greatest centers of Jewish spirituality and thought in The Near East?

Where there is smoke, there's fire.
What other colonial beliefs were common amongst political Zionism's earliest allies?

Sir Arthur Balfour, author of The 1917 "Balfour Declaration":



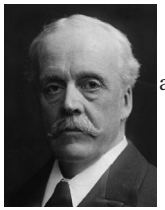
In the quest to imagine settlers predating the natives, Zionist project themselves back onto The British Mandate.

"In an 1899 letter attempting to display a 'lack of anti-semitic sentiment' Arthur Balfour complained about a party in which: 'the Hebrews were in an actual majority-and tho' I have no prejudices against the race (quite the contrary) I began to understand the point of view of those who object to alien immigration!'" (Buckley).

Attempting to assuage fears of anti-Semitism, he leans on rhetoric reminiscent of **The Elder Protocols of Zion**, that he is not prejudiced against Jews **but** understands the need to curb their power on world affairs. **These are the earliest diehard Zionists, and their own descriptions of their mission is damning**.

Christian Zionism

White Supremacists: Zionism's Greatest Ally



"We have to face the facts...**men are not born equal**, the white and black races are not born with equal capacities: they are born with different capacities which education cannot and will not change." (Munayyer).

British Forces enter Jerusalem December 11th, 1917
Beginning nearly three decades of rule.

Any society built on the legal precedence of The British is completely unserious. In the 19th century British advocates of an ideology called "Restorationism" would set the groundwork for later Zionism.

Restorationists sought to "restore" the biblical Israel in Palestine, so that this crushing wave of immigrants would have somewhere to go. **So disgusted and opposed were the European ethnostates** to the arrival of Russian Jews that they supported colonial and military investment in **another land for their** eventual re-settlement.

It was well known that Jews were suffering in **The Russian Empire** (The Settlement of Pale), and equally well known that **European countries would not allow an influx of Jewish immigrants**.

With the war looming, in **May 1939** Britain released a White Paper effectively scuttling Jewish immigration into The British Mandate (BBC). This led to militarized insurgencies of paramilitary groups like **The Haganah** and **Irgun**. The first generation of Israeli politicians like **David Ben-Gurion**, **Moshe Diyan** and **Menachem Begin** got their starts in these groups, having originally been trained by The British to enact violence against The Palestinian resistance.

The Zionist High Command framed their goals under the name **Plan Dalet** (**Plan D**). It outlines military operations beginning in April and May of 1948 throughout Palestine; these goals include "the destruction of the Palestinian Arab community and the expulsion and pauperization of the bulk of the Palestinian Arabs." (Khalidi).
Israel was (and has always been) predicated on the violent expulsion of its Arab citizens.

After Britain withdrew from Palestine, The Zionist project turned to material support from **The United States**. The U.S. was long interested in outposts in the region, and similar strains of **Protestant Christian Zionism** existed in The United States that were similar to British Restorationism. This form of support was more predicated upon Evangelical belief, and **used more overtly religious justification** in its support of The Zionist project.

Enter **The Prophecy of Ezekiel**.

Support From a Place of Hatred

In this prophecy, the Jews must be returned to their Holy Land to ensure the Second Coming of Jesus. They will then herald the return of Christ, **converting or dying in the coming Apocalypse**.

For Evangelicals, support for Israel **appears** like an alliance but is really self-serving: **Israel must exist (and prosper) for Christ to return**. This necessitates destroying The Dome of The Rock and Al-Aqsa to allow the Jews to rebuild The Temple, where a "false one" (Anti-Christ) would enter.
Thus can the "true" God return, where Christ will rule the world for a seven year "Tribulation" where only Christians will be saved (Hardy).

This psychotic prophecy - essentially turning Jews into a blood sacrifice - sounds so farfetched that it would be a marginal belief, but **this is the foundation for The United State's foreign policy vis a vis Israel since WWII**. **Donald Trump's** movement of the capital to Jerusalem in 2018 was a gift to these interests, saying "**That was for the Evangelicals...the evangelicals are more excited about that than The Jewish people**" (Hardy).

Evangelical Zionists may believe that they exist in a state of solidarity with Jewish people - and that means supporting the Israeli state - but can often still express hatred in that pursuit.

No hate like Christian love.

Philosemitism

A form of Anti-semitism that revolves around notable interest in, respect for, and appreciation for the Jewish people, their history and their influence, particularly on the part of a non-Jew.

Antisemites have historically dehumanized Jews. Philosemitism in Christian Zionist circles manifests as a form of casual hatred, resulting in a **SUPERhumanizing** rather than a more expected **DEhumanizing**.
Under this framework, Jews are conceived **simultaneously** as needing protection from hordes of savage terrorists, and simultaneously kept around as an **Eschatological means to an end** (i.e. to fast-track The Rapture).

There's a myth that Israel was created as a response to The Holocaust, that "something finally had to be done". The colonial vying for Palestine had begun decades prior: **zionism served as a double-blessing** for Jews and for Europeans, helping to "mitigate the age-long miseries created for Western civilization, but which is equally unable to expel or to absorb" (Munayyer).

Preventing the misery of Jews entering society could be bought with gunfire in Palestine. The colonizing venture (and later Philosemitism) would serve to shift the guilt of European states in complicity with The Holocaust onto the Arab Others in The Holy Land. It was European hatred and disinterest of Jewry that allowed the conditions for The Holocaust to come into place, and the solution of The British - rather

Support From a Place of Hatred (cont.)

than the death camps of The Germans - was to colonize another land so that **a mass exodus could begin on its own terms** (and its own dime). Zionism is so intertwined with the colonial framework that it seems like it will haunt the living forever.

It wouldn't be possible for a settler colonial state like Israel to think of Palestinians as "demographic threats" or seeing "the presence in its midst of a Body which is unable to expel" if it were a **truly Democratic** state. Israel's lauding as "the only Democracy in The Middle East" is pure propaganda. An ethnostate cannot be a Democracy.

European ethno-nationalism is the building blocks for a settler colonial Israel that maintains a violent apartheid state through a cruel security apparatus. These are European traditions, not Jewish ones.

This is not to downplay the fault of modern Israel in the occupation or the genocide of Palestinians, but to unstopper **the myth of Jewish nationalism**. **There are more Christian Zionists in America alone than Jews alive in the world**. Former Israeli Ambassador **Ron Dermer** says it best:

"...[he] suggested Sunday that Israel should prioritize the "passionate and unequivocal" support of evangelical Christians over that of American Jews, **who he said are "disproportionately among our critics**...People have to understand that the backbone of Israel's support in the United States is the evangelical Christians. It's true because of numbers and also because of their passionate and unequivocal support for Israel." (Magid)

Was Israel Given to the Jewish People by God?

	Yes	No	Don't know	Do not believe in God^
	%	%	%	%
NET Jewish	40	27	5	28=100
Jews by religion	47	27	6	20=100
Jews of no religion	16	27	3	55=100
Orthodox	84	10	3	3=100
Ultra-Orthodox	81	13	4	2=100
Modern Orthodox	90	5	1	4=100
Conservative	54	25	7	14=100
Reform	35	35	6	24=100
No denomination	24	25	4	46=100
U.S. general public	44	34	11	11=100
Christian	55	32	11	1=100
Protestant	64	26	9	2=100
White evangelical	82	12	6	*=100
White mainline	47	37	13	3=100
Black Protestant	51	39	8	2=100
Catholic	38	45	15	1=100
White, non-Hispanic	34	51	14	2=100
Unaffiliated	16	37	11	36=100

^Includes people who said "don't know" or declined to answer when asked whether they believe in God or a universal spirit.

Source: Pew Research Center 2013 Survey of U.S. Jews, Feb. 20-June 13, 2013. Q.H6& 6c. U.S. general public data from June 12-16, 2013, Pew Research Center poll.

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The discrepancy is clear: 82% versus 40% polled believing that Israel was given by G-d to The Jewish people, made all the more poignant by demographics.

Following further PEW Research stats on the next page, Jews make up about 2.4% of The U.S. population. The map in blue is the percentage of Evangelical Christians by state. **Israel is proclaimed as THE Jewish state, yet is propped up by the zealous support of the world's other hugely successful settler colonial state**. This support, remember, is intended to help fast-track The Rapture. Deluded on all fronts that Israel-Palestine is a religious war, the colonial acquisition of land continues unchallenged and unhindered.

Zionist Base of Support in America

Jews make up 2.4% of the U.S. adult population

Estimates of Jewish shares and counts in 2020

	Share of U.S. adults (%)	Estimated number (millions)
NET Jewish	2.4%	5.8
Jews by religion	1.7	4.2
Jews of no religion	0.6	1.5
Jewish background	1.1	2.8
Other religion	0.8	1.9
Jewish by religion and other religion	0.1	0.2
No religion	0.3	0.7
Jewish affinity	0.6	1.4
Other religion	0.4	1.0
Jewish by religion and other religion	<0.05	0.1
No religion	0.1	0.3

Note: All figures are rounded. Aggregate categories reported in this table and in the text are the sum of unrounded values.
Source: Survey conducted Nov. 19, 2019-June 3, 2020, among U.S. adults.
"Jewish Americans in 2020"

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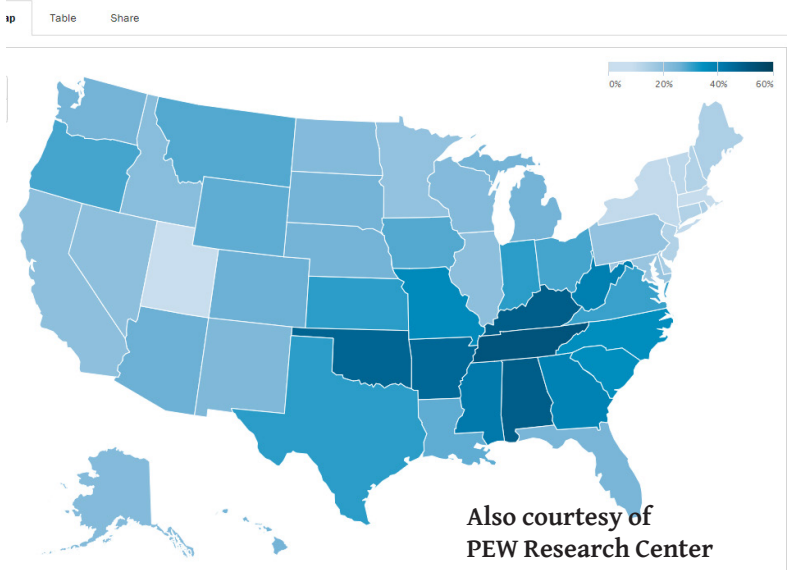
On the day President Trump appointed Amy Coney Barrett to the Supreme Court, a Prayer March stops to pray at the base of The Washington Monument as if it were the wailing wall in Jerusalem... effectively fetishizing a Jewish form of prayer. (Stoneburner)

Evangelical Population % by State

dark blue 60%



Also courtesy of PEW Research Center

Colonies are an Expensive Endeavor

Western support for Israel is not a love of Jews, it is a diplomatic alliance with Zionist colonizers. Israel is an unsinkable aircraft carrier in The Middle East, having positioned itself as a forward operating base for The United States. **Make no mistake** - Israel does not control the U.S., no matter what Netanyahu says - **The U.S. controls and utilizes Israel through its steady pouring of funding**.

In 2020 while the U.S. government argued incessantly on giving American citizens a one-time $600, **Israel received $146 billion of U.S. taxpayer money**. The U.S. has financially backed Israel through all hardships, during the U.S. financial crisis of '08, and from 1971 to 2007 the bulk of these funds set a strong economic base, one that could support things like comprehensive medical care for Israeli Jews and illegal Jewish settlement enterprises (Baroud).

While American politicians debate on how little they can get away with dripping into the mouths of hungry Americans, they write any and all checks to Israel to support the occupation.

Israel's occupation and apartheid owes its DNA to European colonial powers, having made a Faustian political alliance with some of the most powerful anti-semites in the world to create "a new homeland" and even a "new Jew". The ideology of Zionism takes the trappings and identity of The Jewish religion and forges a state-religion with it, one which cannot be questioned without insulting the very minority group whose identity has been hijacked for the colony.

We must reject The Zionist project. We must do it out of love for the Palestinian people, and out of love for The Jewish spirit crushed under the weight of colonial occupation. While Israel continues to be a colony, no Jew in the world is made safer by its existence. **No Iron Dome can save us from the judgement of future generations**, for the horror Israel has waged in our names.

American Money Talks

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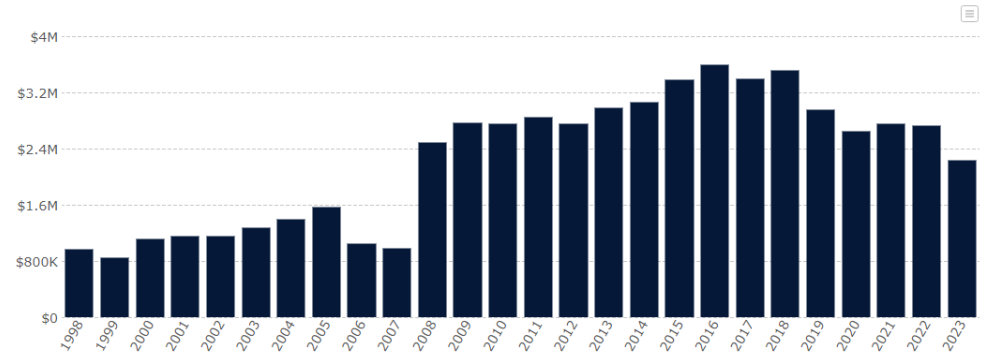
OpenSecrets — Following the Money in Politics

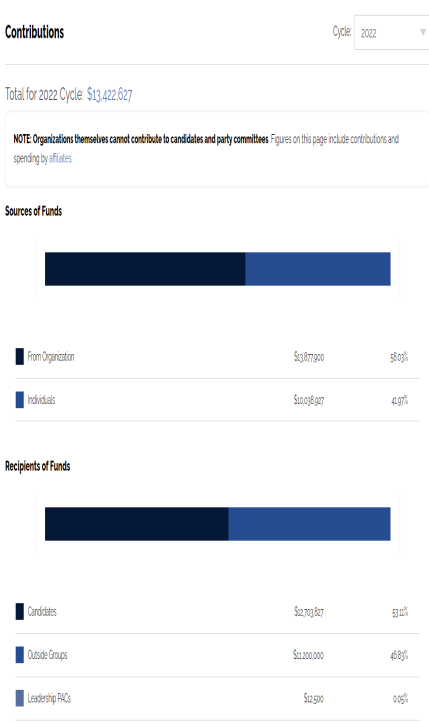
Annual Lobbying Totals: 1998 - 2022



Pro-Israel Money to Congress

Top 20 Members

Candidate	Amount
Biden, Joe (D)	$4,228,614
Menendez, Robert (D-NJ)	$2,433,147
Clinton, Hillary (D-NY)	$2,358,112
Kirk, Mark (R-IL)	$2,294,469
Lieberman, Joe (D-CT)	$1,996,274
McConnell, Mitch (R-KY)	$1,953,160
Schumer, Charles E (D-NY)	$1,725,324
Engel, Eliot (D-NY)	$1,618,904
Hoyer, Steny H (D-MD)	$1,616,794
McCain, John (R-AZ)	$1,491,366
Berkley, Shelley (D-NV)	$1,409,433
Wyden, Ron (D-OR)	$1,279,376
Levin, Carl (D-MI)	$1,245,913
Cruz, Ted (R-TX)	$1,214,106
Gottheimer, Josh (D-NJ)	$1,162,852
Schneider, Brad (D-IL)	$1,156,345
Cantor, Eric (R-VA)	$1,151,151
Perdue, David (R-GA)	$1,136,541
Durbin, Dick (D-IL)	$1,116,445
Specter, Arlen (D-PA)	$1,071,745


Contributions
Cycle: 2022
Total for 2022 Cycle: $13,422,627
NOTE: Organizations themselves cannot contribute to candidates and party committees. Figures on this page include contributions and spending by affiliates.
Sources of Funds
From Organization $13,879,900 58.03%
Individuals $10,038,927 41.97%
Recipients of Funds
Candidates $12,793,827 53.11%
Outside Groups $11,269,000 46.83%
Leadership PACs $12,500 0.05%

ISRAEL WASHES

To launder its image, Hasbara propaganda relies on several "washing" methods with which to draw attention away from its colonial project:

Pinkwashing:

When a state or organization appeals to LGBTQ+ rights in order to deflect attention from harmful practices.

THEY DON'T HAVE GAY MARRIAGE IN ISRAEL

Purplewashing:

When a state or organization appeals to women's rights and feminism in order to deflect attention from its harmful practices

Often referring to the image-cleaning of western countries, which have NOT achieved genuine equality between men and women but criticise inequalities in other countries or cultures, OFT where there is a Muslim majority.

ITS IMAGE OF BLOOD

Greenwashing:

When a state or organization appeals to environmentalism in order to deflect attention from its harmful practices.

The MFers who claim to make "the desert bloom":

Razed orchards, fields and greenhouses north of Beit Hanoun
October 15
Greenhouse
Greenhouse
Image © 2023 Planet Labs PBC
Razed orchards, fields and greenhouses north of Beit Hanoun
November 24
Image © 2023 Planet Labs PBC

AN INDIGENOUS PEOPLE WOULD LOVE THEIR LAND NOT KILL IT

Bulldozer marks on razed orchards north of Beit Hanoun
November 24
Bulldozer tracks
Mounds of earth
Image © 2023 Planet Labs PBC

42. Similarly, in July 2009, Israeli military forces issued stop-work and/or demolition orders on cisterns being constructed in the village of Tuwani, even though the villagers of Tuwani faced a severe water shortage on account of the drought, increasingly stringent Israeli restrictions on movement necessary to gather tankered water, and attacks on water resources and infrastructure by Israeli settlers.[38] If constructed, these cisterns would have significantly eased the water crisis for the people of Tuwani. However, according to Israeli military orders in effect in the area, rain is the property of the Israeli authorities and thus Palestinians are forbidden from gathering rain water for domestic or agricultural needs. In 2010, Israel approved the construction of a filling point in the village of Tuwani that alleviated the problem of water availability in the village even though the capacity of the filling point was significantly below the capacity requested by humanitarian agencies (less than 1/4th) in order to serve surrounding villages, which are considered as the cluster of communities most at risk of water scarcity in the West Bank.

ZiONiSM =/= JuDAiSM

Land Not Lord

The Israel-Palestine conflict is a colonial conflict over land, not a religious conflict. Let me repeat that: it is (and has always been) a conflict over land and not a holy war. The Jewish religion is **bastardized** into a weapon to be used against the indigenous people of Palestine - and for this I wrote this zine to combat that violence - but insisting the conflict is a religious war is **ahistorical and factually untrue**.

When Zionists say that Anti-Zionism must be Anti-Semitism, **they are coyly forcing you to decide betwen antisemitism and islamophobia**.
After The Holocaust and the mass influx of immigrants from Europe, it became mainstream to believe that the Jewish people were "owed" an exclusive state.
No one in this world is owed an ethnostate. To Zionists it has never mattered that The Holy Land is sacred to all the branches of The Abrahamic Religions, nor that Jews, Muslims and Christians have always lived in Palestine.

Zionists MAKE this about antisemitism: they force you to pick hatred of Jews or hatred of Muslims, using the atrocities of The Holocaust as a cudgel to support violence and oppression NOW. It's a perversion of The Torah, and people everywhere have every right to question that settler-colonial violence. Pretending that questioning the politics of Zionism is an attack on The Jewish people ALSO erases the long history of Jewish Anti-Zionism throughout history up-to the current day. It's an **ex post facto** justification of a colonial land-grab. Many of the active agents of the Zionist World Congress that would go on to found Israel - like **David Ben-Gurion** - never visited Jerusalem until they'd settled there illegaly for 3 years. Jerusalem was considered too alien, so **Tel Aviv** was built on the Mediterranean Coast.

Of course, by "too alien" I mean too full of multiethnic and religious communities that were incompatible with the settler's view of a secular and colonial state. These include both **Arabs** and "**The Yishuv**", Orthodox Jews who found mass Jewish return to be sinful. **Many of Israel's founders were Atheists**. This is not to erase their Jewishness, but to lay bare the reality that concrete Jewish return en masse to Palestine was far more sadistically literal than most Jewish observants had ever considered.

Jerusalem and Palestine have long been places of prominent Jewish pilgrimmage. Every **Passover**, Jews raise a toast: "Next year, in Jerusalem!". Zionists leaned on rituals like this to posthumously justify their colonial land-grab, even though the Jerusalem implied in the Passover seder is NOT the city we can travel to today. It is an idealized, perfect world kept alive in hearts and minds that we may one day get to experience in **Olam ha-Ba**, The World to Come.

Zionism is all land and no Lord.

Opposition Before The State

(above)
Ilhan Rubanovich
Russian-Jewish Socialist

"What is Palestine? It is a country which belongs to the Turkish empire and is settled by Arabs. …. Mr. Lilienblum says that "we have a historical right to Palestine." . . . A historical right! . . . And by what means will you defend that historical right? . . . The Arabs have exactly the same historical right. Woe unto you if – under the protection of international bandits and by the manipulation of international intrigue and corrupt diplomacy – you force the peaceful Arabs to defend their rights. They will answer tears with blood and will bury your hereditary claims under the ashes of your homes."

Ahad Ha'am (Asher Zvi Ginzberg) visited Palestine in 1891, publishing periodicals very critical of early Jewish settlement. He sought to point out the startling ethnocentricity of political Zionism and the inherent exploitation of Palestinian peasantry. The settler's sheer anger towards the natives was said to stem: "towards those who reminded them that there is still another people in the land of Israel that have been living there and does not intend to leave" (Masalha).

Yitzhaq Epstein would publish similarly critical writings on what he saw in Palestine. His 1907 article "The Hidden Question" outlined what he saw as corrupt business practices, that a policy of forcibly acquiring Palestinian homes/establishments would inevitably lead to problems in the future (Masalha). **He was ultimately correct**, but his critique proved inflammatory to early settlers. In their minds, Jewish acquisition of land took precedence over "moral considerations."

Hereditary Claims

How Zionism Weaponizes Judaism

Zionism has so effectively **co-opted and weaponized** the religion of **The Torah** that the Western world treats the two as inseparable.
This comes from an erasure of the long-standing history of Jewish opposition to Zionism, a framework of understanding Jews through the same lens of an Antisemite, and a cynical weaponization of anti-Semitism against opponents of settler colonial terrorism.

To rephrase that:
Erasure
Philosemitism
Cynical Weaponization
Are the tools by which Judaism is used as a sword by Zionists.

Many Jews in America are surprised to learn of a **longstanding history** of Anti-Zionist principles and thought. I was once one of those people. **There have always been Jews opposed to the creation of the nation state of Israel**, suppressed or forgotten, first by the horrors of The Holocaust and then deliberately through the nation-building of Israel.

Opposition comes from **conservative and isolationist Rabbis** who felt that it would be sinful to try and "brute force" a return to The Holy Land, when G-d had commanded The Jewish people to wait for The Messiah. It also came from **leftwing socialist and communist parties** in Europe like **The Jewish Bund**, who decried **The Aliyahs** (exoduses of Jews into Palestine) as forms of escapism from the struggles at home.

Anti-Zionism can come from many different ends of the political spectrum, and from various different proximities to the Jewish religion.
A Hasidic Rabbi named **Joel Teitelbaum** of Transylvania supplies an incredibly poignant moral clarity in regards to Zionism: believing that God would not return The Jewish people to the Holy Land until the time of The Messiah, **and so to make it happen by force is sinful** (Wistrich). This religious framework understood the **nation-building project as contrary to the divine will of the G-d of the Torah**, and **encourage the very antisemites** who made them unsafe in their own homes and communities. Teitelbaum's argument was based on **The Three Oaths**:

Rebbe Joel Teitelbaum

The Lord imposed Three Oaths upon [The Jewish People]
1. Israel should not return to the land together, by force
2. Israel should not rebel against other nations
3. The nations should not subjugate Israel.

Jews are a people usually defined by their religion, and so religious figures and authorities naturally opposed the Zionist project's attempt to turn Judaism from a religion to a nationality. Any government in historical Palestine would always be a sinful falsehood until the G-d appointed return of The Messiah, not before.

Buried Under Ashes

The General Jewish Labor Bund was formed at the same time as the World Zionist Organization, being an **explicitly Marxist**, **secular Jewish socialist** party founded in 1897 in The Russian Empire.

Its opposition to Zionism came from a secular perspective: **that culture was the glue of**
Jewish nationhood in a world of growing multiculturalism and multi-ethnic populations, that **Yiddish** was the real language of working Jewry and not Hebrew, and that fleeing to a new nation built upon bourgeoisiepower **took away from class struggle where Jews had lived for centuries** (Laquer). Even as the party greatly changed after WWII (and Bundists became less opposed to Israel's over-all existence) they still **challenged the state's policies**, staked their power on fostering peace with Palestinian Arabs and ending expansion.

The Bund are oft forgotten, yet still continue to inspire resistance and Labor mobilization to this day. **Marek Edelman** was a Bundist and helped to lead the 1943 Warsaw Ghetto Uprising; many Jewish leftwing labor activists call themselves Neo-Bundists, and Bundism has been increasing in popularity with progressive Anti-Zionists.

"Where we live, THERE is out country!"

These are just two wildly different points of view - religious and secular, conservative and socialist - yet they hint at the greater heart of Anti-Zionist sentiment that existed during the beginning of the Zionist mission. These two groups were explicitly hostile to each other.
No group are a monolith, and the diversity of approaches to **opposing The Zionist Project** are important for forging new paths forward. **History is full of failures, and every failure is a lesson**: conservative Rebbes like Teitelbaum moved in Anti-Zionist circles, but focused on isolationism and the maintanence of perfect halakhah to the point of ignoring the world around them. The Labor Bund was incorporated into the Soviet Communist Party, and its various branches disbanded in the 20th Century.

We must learn from the past as we grow our own movements!

Philosemitism

Antisemitic Identity Formation

Zionists have always expected the shedding of the "old Jew" into a new "Hebrew" identity.

The silencing of Jewish Anti-Zionist voices is partially a **whitewashing of the resistance by Jews** to playing at European nation-building, or merely lies through omission. To question why Jews would be so opposed to a **nation-state for Jews** is to unravel the thread of propaganda and lies used by Zionists to **tool and transform** Jews into soldiers for its colonial project.

This transformation of Jews as a nation of priests and holy men into a nation of warriors belies the European colonial ideology at the heart of Zionism, and the same kind of understanding of Jews that European antisemites had at the time.

Our boy Ze'ev J-Skee again:

"Our starting point is to take the typical Yid of today and to imagine his diametrical opposite ... because the Yid is ugly, sickly, and lacks decorum, we shall endow the ideal image of the Hebrew with masculine beauty. The Yid is trodden upon and easily frightened and, therefore, the Hebrew ought to be proud and independent. The Yid is despised by all and, therefore, the Hebrew ought to charm all. The Yid has accepted submission and, therefore, the Hebrew ought to learn how to command. The Yid wants to conceal his identity from strangers and, therefore, the Hebrew should look the world straight in the eye and declare: 'I am a Hebrew!'" (Rubinstein)

To create its ethnostate, Jewish religion had to be turned into a **nationality**. This intense interest in new forms of Hebrew identity can be understood as a kind of **Philosemitism**, betraying a hatred of **Yids** (Ashkenazi Jews of Europe). Having the perspective that Yids are all weak, sickly and ugly is **the same kind of framing that antisemites have**, it belies all the struggles and oppressions of Jews as personal faults rather than systemic oppression.

Creating from the rich array of religious iconography a national anthem, a flag, uniforms and new spoken language for the Jewish nation-state, what is useful is coopted and what is "ugly" is forgotten.

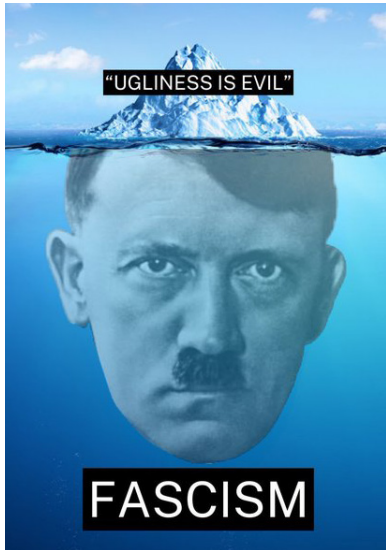
Zionism's attempt to forge Jews into "the new Hebrew" was an attempt to solve or cure the Jewish population of their inherent faults, **rather than trying to forge a world that was safe for Jews**. **They would only be safe** with the kind of "civilized", "dignified behaviors" common to European nationalities like nation-building, colonialism and standing armies.

In essence, long before Zionism came to colonize Palestinians, first it had to colonize Jews. The creation of modern Hebrew came as an enterprise of adding new vocabulary into Biblical Hebrew, while also borrowing substantial roots and loan words from Arabic. Yiddish was sidelined and discriminated against, and with the later influx of Mizrahi Jews their various Arabic dialects were also sidelined into the realm of "special status". What was usefull was co-opted and what was ugly was left to rot.

License for Appropriation

For centuries, Jews were Polish and Jewish, or Moroccan and Jewish, sharing a core of religious practice and tangential culture. With the formation of Israel, Iraqi Jews, Yemeni Jews, Syrian Jews all become **Mizrahi** (Eastern) Jews, losing much of their individual cultural and linguistic variations.
To be taken seriously by the Western world, Judaism must be "solved" or "mended" into something that is palatable to Christian Zionists or The West more broadly.
Zionism was - and is- Antisemitic itself.

It creates a mythology of strong warriors, when the religion of Judaism has so rarely glorified violence, let alone a culture of conquering! **Yet every Israeli citizen is mandated into a draft at 18**, something with no scriptural, historical or moral precedent. The constant occupation of Palestine and the dehumanization of its people creates a dangerous place, one that has to be propped up by America's military industrial complex.



I can't think of a more dangerous place to be for a Jew than Israel, and it's not because of Palestine liberation efforts. **It's because of the IDF**. **It's because of The Occupation**. **It's because of the State**.

> It was at this moment it suddenly occurred to me—someone who had grown up in a Jewish family in New York fed almost entirely on Zionist propaganda—exactly what things must look like from the other side. Wherever we went, Palestinians would tell us about all the different sorts of people they had historically welcomed to the Holy Land: Armenians, Greeks, Persians, Russians, Africans, Jews… They saw the Zionists as originally their house-guests. Yet they were the worst house-guests one could possibly imagine. Every act of hospitality, of welcome, is turned into license for appropriation, and the world's most skillful propagandists leapt into action to try to convince the world that their hosts were depraved inhuman monsters who had no right to their own homes. In such a situation, what can you possibly do? Stop being generous? But then one is absolutely, existentially defeated. This is what people really meant when they talked about a life of calculated degradation. People were being systematically deprived of the physical, the economic, and the political means to be magnanimous. And to be deprived of the means to make that kind of magnificent gesture is a kind of living death.

From "House Intelligence: Reflections From a Visit to The West Bank by David Graeber

Cynical Weaponization

Right now as you're reading this, Zionists across the globe are cynically using **the very real fear of antisemitism** as a means to further the Zionist project. The **US House's Resolution 894** makes a formal declaration that "Anti-Zionism is Anti-Semitism". Reactions to campus demonstrations have been psychotic, from claiming that mere support of Palestine is antisemitism to the infamous **Doxxing Truck** driven around Harvard.

Shutting down all discussion is their playbook, and it's no longer working. People continue to question the extreme violence and the complete disregard of Palestinian humanity, and as the **Hasbara** diplomatic mission stumbles in the 21st century, it lashes out. As the Zionist Project stumbles it lashes out and becomes even more deadly.

Using the safety of world Jewry as a shield, Zionist American politicians have **censured the only Palestinian-American** representative for saying "From the River to the Sea". They censured her while ghouls like **Rep Brian Mast (Fl. R)** went to Congress **wearing an IDF uniform** in support of the brutal, assymetric retaliation on Gaza after October 7th. Even if you somehow don't give a shit about Palestinians…a U.S. congressmen went into The House wearing another country's military uniform.
What the fuck is up with that?

And as these accusations of Antisemitism are flying, **politicians** in the highest echelons are frequentlying saying ACTUALLY antisemitic things, like **President Biden** saying: "no Jewish person would be safe without Israel". Tying the loyalty of a fascist state to all

"no Jewish person would be safe without Israel"
Joe Biden on Hannukah 2023

Prominent Zionists laud Biden's remark that no Jew anywhere is safe without Israel

Abe Foxman, Natan Sharansky and Dani Dayan say president's unprecedented statement shows understanding of how most Jews feel, though it angers some Jews more critical of Israel

Jews everywhere is **incredibly antisemitic**, playing on the longstanding trope of **Dual Loyalty**. Why then, do we get headlines like:

RACE AND ETHNICITY

Black American solidarity with Palestinians is rising and testing longstanding ties to Jewish allies

Y'all will blame Black Americans for anything
Also, sick implying there aren't any Black Jews…

Bill Ackman demands list of Harv students blaming Israel in war wi Hamas

By Ariel Zilber
Published Oct. 10, 2023, 2:59 p.m. ET

'Doxxing truck' drives around Harvard showing names, photos of students who blamed Israel for Hamas attacks

By Shannon Thaler
Published Oct. 12, 2023, 9:55 a.m. ET

House Censures Rashida Tlaib, Citing 'River to the Sea' Slogan

Twenty-two Democrats joined most Republicans in the rebuke of Ms. Tlaib, the only Palestinian American in Congress, accusing her of calling for the destruction of Israel.

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Anti-Zionism Is Deadlier Than Antisemitism

Wiping Israel off the map would necessarily entail extinguishing the lives of millions of Jews.

Two thirds of young Americans believe 'Jews are oppressers', poll shows

Responses to new survey also indicate young Americans' shaky grasp of the Israel-Hamas war

Georgia middle school teacher accused of threatening to behead student who asked about Israeli flag

The teacher in Warner Robins, Georgia, was arrested Dec. 8 on charges of terroristic threats and cruelty to children in the third degree, officials said.

Tears Answered

Anti-Zionism is not inherently the same thing as Antisemitism, because Zionism is not the same as Judaism. In fact, political Zionism began as a colonizing project to incorporate world Jewry into a new nationality modeled after European ethnostates. We must name the contradictions of such a violent colonial project because - as Jews - our identities have been stolen to use as the sword and shield of an Apartheid state.

A great deal of nuance and empathy is required when discussing antisemitism. It's made even more nebulous and confused by the Zionist proclivity to use Jewish safety, identity and religion as covers for their ethnostate project. **Of course** people at large are confused, they think hateful things like "all Jews owe loyalty to Israel" when Israel expects the US government to repeat those very lies to the public.

Zionism weaponizes Jewish identity through **erasure** of Jewish resistance and opposition to Israel, making it seem automatic and pre-destined that all Jews everywhere should support the nation. It does so through **Philosemitism**, an antisemitic (and European) view of Jews that they must "be fixed" in order for antisemitism to wane. And finally, it does so through a constant **cynical weaponization** of antisemitism.

When Israel receives **even the slightest pushback** at the United Nations, the Israeli Ambassador wears a yellow star badge and accuses the speaker of being a secret Hamas agent, UNSC of being Hamas…

Is Hamas in the room with us right now?

We must push back against all these narratives, fight back against the idea that the occupation is just, necessary or safe for Jews (much less Palestinians). A vocal stance is more improtant than ever, when any attempt at solidarity is smeared as antisemitic hatred. When Zionists use Jewish identiy as their shield and sword, ACTUAL antisemitism becomes encouraged and obfuscated.

We must push back against the idea that Israel has a right to defend itself.
Israel has a right to defend itself is repeated ad nauseum until all that's meant is:
Israel IS right to defend itself…

Buddy, no state has an intrinsic right to exist.

No one ever questions whether Canada or America "has a right to exist".
Nation States are collective delusions that we all agree upon as "really existing". A persistant delusion, to be sure, one that so, so many have died for. People trying to live and be fruitful are all **that really exist**, death and destructional are all **optional**.

Arguing and organizing for a Ceasefire is only the first step. The entire Zionist project must be undone, for the love of Jews and Palestinians everywhere. Neither will be safe until the IDF are disbanded and shipped off to face justice at The Hague, the Iron Dome dismantled and the Occupation ended.
Like with South Africa, **Apartheid must come to an end**.

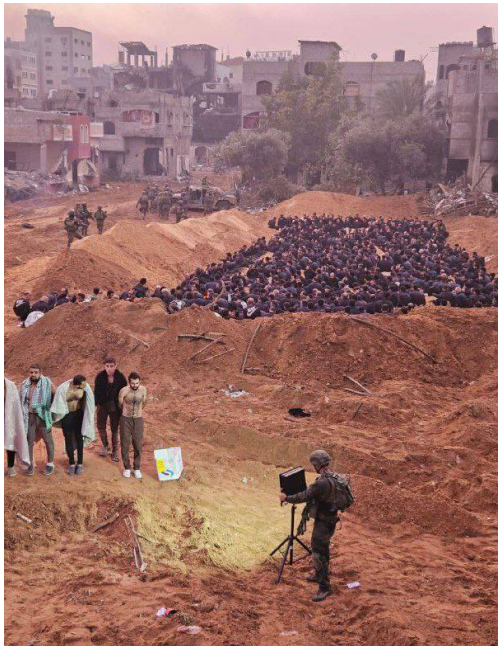
With Blood

Jewish people have a very real fear of antisemitism. **It's a rising concern** in the current era when states elect leaders like **Trump**, **Bolsonaro**, **Meloni** et al, and it's worth taking seriously. Zionists use this anxiety to solidify international Jewish support for Israel, arguing that The Iron Dome is the only thing that could keep The Jews safe from another Holocaust.

Unfortunately, history teaches us that colonizers have always suffered anxiety due to their power status over a native population. The exact same situation happened in **apartheid South Africa**, it happened in **French Algeria** and in the **Antebellum South** of the United States.

Whenever oppressed peoples agitate for their freedom, there are always pearl-clutchers in the middle class to the tune of "If we allow them rights, what's to stop them from killing all of us?".

This is a psychotic and racist sentiment that is rooted in the defense of history's most racist societies, one that's also common in Israel. These statements couch a racist viewpoint of Others as a an issue of national security. **Frantz Fanon** wrote extensively on the psyches of the colonized and the colonists. In the mind of a colonist, they see the native as "impervious to ethics, having an absence of values, and being absolute evil." He goes on to say that the colonizer views that native as one who is inherently savage and evil.



This **colonial mindset** is what drives the sentiment of fear towards the oppressed, that "if we hold our boot off the neck they will kill us all" is reinforced constantly by IDF and Israeli segregation. Jewish history of oppression and progroms are used to stoke the flames of a **Manichean (good vs evil) worldview**. This is a fascist mindset, contrary to the values and teachings of The Jewish faith that recognizes the divinity of all living things, never mind fellow humans.

"If we free all the slaves, what's to stop them from killing all the whites?"
"If we free the Algerians, what's to stop them from killing all the French?"
"If we end apartheid, what's to stop the blacks from killing all the Boers?"
"If we allow Palestinians to return, what's to stop them from killing all Israeli Jews?"

DAVID IS ALIVE IN THE STONES

Israel constantly provokes the people it oppresses, and punishes all dissent to the most extreme extent. Even children pelting stones at armored soldiers or tanks are handed mandatory-minimum sentences of at least four years. The Zionists act out the role of Goliath, brutally suppressing any who resist. They use David as a shield and brutalize any who dare walk in King David's footsteps.

Every stone slung at an IDF soldier or tank is an act of worship to G-d.

Israeli Occupation Force

The Magen David has been twisted and weaponized by the Zionist settler project, yet the spirit of Jewish resistance to overwhelming odds is alive in every stone slung across the divide toward the occupiers.

The spirit of resistance to oppression shines like the light of the Tzohar in the hearts of journalists, Red Cross and Red Crescent workers and all those risking their lives in Gaza. They are keeping up the work of tikkun olam - repairing the world - far more than any Zionist donning armor to wage genocide against their neighbors.

CALL TO ACTION

The most clear encapsulation of my beliefs is to look to the words of **Offer Cassif**. The only member of the Israeli Knesset to speak out against the war in retaliation for October 7th. He personally lost friends and colleagues in the kibbutz stormed by Hamas, and still had the wisdom and moral clarity to denounce Netanyahu's emergency government. He represents the **Hadash** party, a leftwing party focused on Jewish-Arab cooperation and worker's rights, **publicly declaring the truth that Israel's military occupation are the true party responsible for the deaths on October 7th**. Not merely for the security failure of the Iron Wall, but for creating the open-air prison that has forced Hamas to choose armed resistance.

For this he was expelled from the Knesset, leaving his country but still advocating for a political solution to this military conflict. His call to action is now inscribed upon my soul:

ANTISEMITISM IS A CRIME
ANTIZIONISM IS A DUTY

Anti-Semitism is real in the world and must be fought with every fiber of our beings. As an Anti-Fascist among many other identities - a Feminist, an Anarchist, etc - I feel a duty to fight against it as much as I feel a duty to fight against the colonial ideology of Zionism. **As Jews in a world of rising antisemitism and fascism, we must stand in solidarity with Palestinians against the very real threat of white supremacy, at home and abroad.**
None of us are free until Palestine is free.

ANTISEMITISM IS A CRIME ANTIZIONISM IS A DUTY

אנטישמיות היא פֶּשַׁע
אנטיציוֹנוּת היא חוֹבָה

אשהפאצהה

DECOLONIZE PALESTINE
Decolonize the Zionist Mind, Transform the World
End the Occupation

WHAT IS TO BE DONE?

- **Advocate vocally for a ceasefire**
  Call, post, write.
- **Ceasefire is not the end**; advocate against Apartheid, against settler colonial terrorism, **amplify Palestinian voices**.
- **Do not let up**, do not become complacent.
- **Antisemitism has no place in the Antizionist movement**. Antisemitism is as vile as all other forms of racism, and must be fought fervently. Angst and resentment towards Israel can never justify hatred towards Jewish people.
- **Follow BDS boycotts**, join local orgs.
- Buy **eSims** for Gaza, support groups like **Refuser Solidarity Network** getting people to refuse the draft in Israel
- **Continue to learn**.
  The revolution will not be televised.

BE DONE?

Place your solidarity with Palestinian Liberation. "The Left" is not a coordinated force to be reckoned with in modern America, there's a hundred wars for liberation fought on a thousand different fronts. We must not allow our forms of resistance to only consist of online activism, and we must not allow our solidarity to be defanged by ignorance.

Palestinian Liberation and **The Black Liberation** movements have long considered themselves allies. To strive towards the liberation of both these peoples, we must resist cops and police presences in protests. **The IOF that maintains apartheid** are the same pigs training international police forces in boot camps, American cops learned how to suppress BLM protests from The IDF, and they will continue to.

For the sake of real emancipatory change, solidarity means unmasking The American Empire. That will take a long, drawn-out battle. It will be the work of lifetimes, but we have to believe that what the future holds will be greater.

Already the public's reaction to the events in Palestine is markedly different than it has been in previous years. We must be emboldened by changing receptions, and yet nothing will replace struggle in large numbers. We must build a movement to look Zionism starkly in the face and see it for the horror it is, and to dismantle the occupation.

We need to imagine new forms of existence and resistance. I use lots of spiritual/mystical terminology in this zine because esotericism is a love of mine. I love Jewish mysticism because it fills my heart with love and admiration to look back on history and see the various ways that myth and faith are consciously shaped: **our ancestors consciously chose to engage, shift and meld the stories on their ancestors in ways useful to them**.

They picked up new experiences from the lands they had to flee to, they studied and they riffed on what came before. I've been actively opposed to religiosity for most of my life. Yet the tide of world events have forced me to reckon with the idea that **spirituality is a key weapon in decolonial movements**. **Secularism** claims to liberate mankind, yet reinvents all the kinds of dominating heirarchies that were said to be abolished. I'd go on to argue that many secular pillars (like The Nation State) are just secularized religious concepts. What is "The Free Market" and why did we mass sacrifice health workers for it?

Jewish Anti-Zionism - and Jewish Anarchism - should riff on the mythic and mystical history in forging new paths forward. We need to consciously engage with the weird, the forgotten and the mythic as we chart new stories, art and struggles in Late Stage Capitalism. **To imagine is to resist, and to make art is to breathe life into the unseen**. Two things can be true: I want my descendants to be unafraid to be openly Jewish, and I want them to live in a world that still has Palestinians in it.
Envisioning and practicing Jewish Anti-Zionism can give us both.

FURTHER READING

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-fo7l-RB-eTI&t=87s

"Why Israel Matters to Americans" AJ+
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=klXa-DgmM8Fs

GDF's "The Conflict Based on a Lie" debunking the Israeli narrative on The Six Day War
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dy-56Q1a0Flc

Olurinatti's "Why Americans Don't Support Palestine"
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n-j0ZcSL-zGI

FROTCAST's new podcast "Bad Hasbara"

"Does Israel/Palestine Have a Solution?" Interview with Dr. Offer Cassif after expulsion
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aDE□ium8ugU&t=750s

Israeli film "TANTURA"
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AMGjulfAz7w&t=5s
https://www.tantura-film.com/
(This film is from a Zionist perspective, yet it shows men from Zionist militias admitting their crimes during the Nakba and laughing!)

What to Read:

The blog DECOLONIZE PALESTINE is the best of the best basic breakdown on every aspect of The Occupation's mythology:
https://decolonizepalestine.com/

Queers in Palestine "No Pride in Genocide"
https://queersinpalestine.noblogs.org/

Izzeldin Abuelaish's "I Shall Not Hate: A Gaza Doctor's Journey on the Road to Peace and Human Dignity"
https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/8550813-i-shall-not-hate

Rabbi Yaakov Shapiro's "The Empty Wagon: Zionism's Journey From Identity Crisis to Identity Theft"
https://www.eichlers.com/the-empty-wagon-zionism-s-journey-from-identity-crisis-to-identity-theft-cis590.html

TERMINUS

Creating this zine took me on an ideological and spiritual journey all its own. The work of unraveling all this darkness wrapped up in the religious background I inherited, I suspect, will be the work of lifetimes. The Zionist project has hijacked diasporic Jewish culture so fully that they seem inseparable, that an attack on one must be an attack on the other.
We must reject this. Whatever form our resistance takes - religious, secular, conservative, progressive - it must be guided by a sense of love for those harmed by the project. We must stand with full and total liberation of Palestine, no matter if their resistance or victimhood is perfect. No one in Palestine will be free until The Occupation comes to an end. Israel occupies Palestine with walls and barbed wire, and it occupies the mind of Jews to use their fear to build its international support.

To end the occupation of our loved ones, we must end the occupation of our minds.
To change our perspectives is to change the world.

FROM THE RIVER
TO THE SEA

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APPENDIX A

The outside of this zine is made in the fashion of **Hebrew Sefaria**.
The back is fashioned after **Medieval European amulets** made by Jewish people, here in English for your enjoyment. **By binding my words in it**, I hope to turn the zine itself into an amulet against **The Evil Eye**:

In the name of Shaddai, who created Heaven & Earth; in the name of [planetary angels] Azrael, Barachiel, Kafziel; in the name of Attarib, and Amabael, Caterari of the winter [memunim equinox]; and by your Prince [of the star and hour] Haniel and in the name of The Lord the God of Israel YHWH;

Deliver the bearer of this booklet from evil men & evil speech; defend him against imprisonment and the bite of sword and bullet, and be a shield against Zionism, Colonialism and White Supremacy.

3 Ehyeh asher ahyah (I am what I am), 7 Yehu and 12 YA;